

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A digital image storage for use with a digital camera having a memory capable of storing digital data of images and other digital data, ~~the digital data of images in the memory being transmitted to the digital image storage, the digital image storage~~ comprising:

a connector for communicating with the digital camera;

~~a detector that detects a signal to cause the transmission of~~ controller that causes the digital camera to transmit only the digital data of the images, but not the other digital data, from the memory of the digital camera to the digital image storage while the digital camera is coupled to the connector; and

~~a function unit responsive to the signal from the detector to carry out the transmission of the digital data of images with the other digital data not transmitted; and~~

a storage medium that stores the transmitted digital data of the images.

2. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 1, wherein ~~the function unit is designed~~ controller causes the digital camera to transmit all the digital data of all the images in the memory in response to the signal to the digital image storage.

3. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 1, wherein the digital data of the images includes still images and motion picture images.

4. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 1, wherein ~~the function unit is designed to carry out~~ controller causes the transmission of the digital data of the images in order of the time when respective digital data of images were taken by the digital camera.

5. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 1, wherein the ~~detector~~ controller detects ~~the~~ a signal through the connector to cause the transmission of the digital data of the images.

6. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 1, wherein the connector includes ~~an adapter~~ a docking station for coupling with the digital camera.

7. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 6, wherein the ~~digital camera includes a battery, and wherein the adapter is designed to charge the~~ docking station charges a battery of the digital camera while ~~when~~ the digital camera is coupled with the ~~adapter~~ docking station.

8. (Currently Amended) The digital image storage according to claim 6, wherein ~~the~~ a signal ~~is caused by that~~ causes the controller to start the transmission of the digital data of the images is output from the docking station after the coupling of the digital camera with the ~~adapter~~ docking station.

9. (Currently Amended) A computer program ~~carried out in product executable~~ by a controller of a digital image storage for that can be used with a digital camera having a memory capable of storing digital data of images and other digital data, ~~the digital data of images in the memory being transmitted to the digital image storage, the digital data of the images being transmitted from the digital camera memory to the digital image storage by way of a docking station capable of being coupled with the digital camera, the computer program~~ product storing a program comprising instructions to cause the controller to perform the steps of:

detecting receipt of a signal from the docking station to initiate the transmission of the digital data from the memory of the digital camera to the digital image storage;

~~carrying out~~ in response to the signal, performing the transmission of ~~all the~~ digital data of the images, but not with the other digital data, not transmitted from the memory of the digital camera while the digital camera is coupled to the digital image storage through the docking station; and

storing the transmitted digital data of the images in the digital image storage.

10. (Currently Amended) A digital image storage system for use with a digital camera having a memory capable of storing digital data of images and other digital data, the system comprising:

~~an adapter~~ a docking station on which the digital camera ~~is to be laid down~~ can be placed to communicate ~~therewith~~ with the digital camera; and

an image storage in communication with the ~~adapter for transmitting digital data form the memory to the image storage through the adapter,~~ docking station, the image storage including a storage medium, ~~a detector that detects a signal to cause and a controller that causes~~ the transmission of ~~the digital data from the memory to the storage medium, and a function unit responsive to the signal form the detector to carry out the transmission of the~~ digital data of the images, but not with the other digital data, not transmitted from the memory of the digital camera through the docking station and to the storage medium of the image storage while the digital camera is placed on the docking station.

11. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the controller causes the digital camera to transmit the digital data of all the images in the memory to the image storage.

12. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the digital data of the images includes still images and motion picture images.

13. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the controller causes the transmission of the digital data of the images in order of the time when respective digital data of images were taken by the digital camera.

14. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the controller detects a signal to cause the transmission of the digital data of the images.

15. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the docking station charges a battery of the digital camera while the digital camera is coupled to the docking station.

16. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein a signal that causes the controller to start the transmission of the digital data of the images is output from the docking station after the placement of the digital camera on the docking station.

17. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 10, wherein the docking station has a shape to fit a bottom of the digital camera.

18. (New) The digital image storage system according to claim 6, wherein the docking station has a shape to fit a bottom of the digital camera.